Borrowers of Central Bank of India, Jhanjharpur, Bihar

†4058. PROF. RAM DEO BHANDARY : Will the Minister of FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) details of the borrowers of Central Bank of India of Jhanjharpur, Bihar who have taken the loan of one lakh or more along with date of borrowings, the amount borrowed and also total payable amount with interest thereon during the last three years;

(b) the details of the progress made by Government to recover such kind of debt;

(c) whether there are such borrowers who are not repaying their loans since long; and

(d) if so, the action being taken by Government to recover the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI ANANDRAO VITHOBA ADSUL): (a) to (d) In accordance with the practices and usages customary amongst the Banks and in conformity with provisions of statutes governing the Banks, the specific information in respect of individual constitutents cannot be divulged. Central Bank of India has reported that its Jhanjharpur branch has sanctioned total loans of Rs. 95.25 lakh to 32 borrowers for Rs. one lakh and above during the period from 1 -4-1999 to 31 -3-2003. The Bank has further reported that recovery is coming in these accounts and they are all performing assets.

Customs duty on edible oil

† 4059. SHRIMATI SAROJ DUBEY:

SHRI MOOLCHAND MEENA:

Will the Minister of FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) the quantum of customs duty increased on edible oil during the last three years because of which domestic producers could not get adequate benefit;

(b) if so, whether Government have any plan to provide adequate benefit to the domestic food producers; and

(c) if so, the decisions taken thereon so far?

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